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Application No.: 10/803,575	)	Examiner: Chang, Celia C.
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Filed: March 17, 2004	)	
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Title: HISTONE DEACETYLASE	)	
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action, mailed September 27, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin at page 2.

**Remarks / Arguments** begin at page 10.